

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Bureau of the Fiscal Service

Proposed Collection of Information: Pools and Associations – Annual Letter

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Currently the Bureau of the Fiscal Service within the Department of the Treasury is soliciting comments concerning Annual Letters sent to Pools and Associations currently recognized by the U.S. Treasury as authorized reinsurers for non-Federal business.

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before [INSERT DATE 60 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER] to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments and requests for additional information to Bureau of the Fiscal Service, Bruce A. Sharp, Room #4006-A, PO Box 1328, Parkersburg, WV 26106-1328, or bruce.sharp@fiscal.treasury.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Pools and Associations – Annual Letter

OMB Number: 1530-0007

Abstract: The information is collected for the determinations of an acceptable percentage for each pool and association to allow Treasury certified companies credit on their Schedule F for authorized ceded reinsurance in determining the companies' underwriting limitations.

Current Actions: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Type of Review: Regular

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit

Estimated Number of Respondents: 84

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 1 hour 30 minutes

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 126

Request for Comments: Comments submitted in response to this notice will be

summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will

become a matter of public record. Comments are invited on: 1. Whether the collection of

information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency,

including whether the information shall have practical utility; 2. the accuracy of the

agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; 3. ways to enhance the

quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; 4. ways to minimize the

burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of

automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and 5.

estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of

services to provide information.

Dated: April 26, 2023.

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